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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 14 October 1968

The Director was at the White House. DDCI was in the chair.

Godfrey briefed on the situation in Panama and noted that the crunch may come today if Arias attempts to launch a counterattack from his safe haven in the Canal Zone.

Godfrey provided a paper assessing the status of economic indicators in West Berlin and noted that the run on savings accounts has not been any more significant than in several previous crises.

D/ONE advised that no Estimates are scheduled for USIB this week.

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Carver reported that the Bundy group will be briefed this morning by [REDACTED] on Cambodian efforts to assist the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong.

Carver drew attention to a cable in this morning from Chief of Station, Saigon indicating that Saigon is calming down in the wake of last week's coup rumors.

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DD/S&T reported that an SR-71 flight went Saturday evening.

DD/S&T briefed on his visit to Cape Kennedy for the Apollo 7 launch

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DDCI noted the announcement in the press today that Senator Russell will assume the Chairmanship of the Senate Appropriations Committee and that Senator Stennis will succeed to the Chairmanship of the Senate Armed Services Committee.

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